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Arctic Blasts and Chinook Winds Give District Odd Weather Mixture

Celebrate 50th Wedding Anniversary at Olds, Alberta

Friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Anderson, Olds, Alta., on Tuesday evening, December 12, for the purpose of celebrating their 50th wedding anniversary.

After the guests had done justice to a sumptuous banquet many amusing reminiscences of earlier days were brought to mind by several of those who were present. During the evening a very appropriate address was given by Mr. Alex. Moore, who referred to the very high esteem that was held for Mr. and Mrs. Anderson by all who have been associated with them during their residence in Western Canada.

A granddaughter, Miss Gwenyth Anderson, presented the host and hostess with beautiful gifts, after which the company enjoyed music and singing.

Mr. Anderson, who was born in Sweden, moved in

Widely fluctuating temperatures and a sort of Jekyll and Hyde weather has been the lot of this district for the last ten days. You take a look at the thermometer and it is 20 below. Take another look—and its 30 above (without the aid of Christmas cheer). Take another look and it is 25 below. Then the weather gets all hot and bothered and its 40 above (Believe it or not)—and now its probably 20 below again.

early life to Warren, Minn., where he married Miss Matilda Corrigan on December 12, 1883. Mrs. Anderson is a sister of the late James Corrigan of Cleveland, Ohio., who before his death was one of the largest oil and steel owners in the Eastern States. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson moved to British Columbia in 1900, and in 1910 moved to Excel, Alta., where they resided until this fall when they moved to Olds.

This venerable old couple who are still hale and hearty are the parents of Mr. Ray. C. Anderson, who lives near Eagle Hill and Mrs. T. O. Stephenson of Leslieville.



May Christmas be for you a
Season of Joy
and the New Year bring
Peace and Plenty

ACHESON HARDWARE



Season's Greetings

May Health and Happiness
be your Companions and may
the cheery laughter of many
friends be with you this
Christmastide.

S. A. MILLER

The Season's Greetings

Best Wishes

for a

Right Merry Christmas



OYEN BILLIARD HALL

Wm. WALSH, Proprietor



Christmas Greetings

We have heard men say that sentiment has no place in business. We cannot believe them, since some of the most valued friendships we have are those which have grown from business acquaintances.

The approach of Christmas and the beginning of a new year has always been a pleasure to us as it opens a door through which we can express in a real true way a wish to one and all that yours be a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

George A. Morrison

About Town and Country

On Sunday, December 24, a special Christmas service will be held at 11 o'clock in the morning (no evening service). Special music.

On Sunday, December 31, a special New Year service will be held in the morning at 11 o'clock instead of the regular evening service.

Special music has also been arranged for this service.

A very hearty invitation is given to all to attend and join in the fellowship of these services.

Mr. Chas. E. Sweeney left Tuesday morning for Regina where he will spend the holidays. He will afterwards go to Southey, Sask., to spend the remaining months of winter.

Mr. Chas. L. Moffat who spent the week-end in town left Wednesday for Saskatoon.

Beryl and Allan Scott are home for the holidays from Camrose.

FOR SALE OR TRADE — Two one-ton trucks, good repair, good rubber, grain boxes, stock racks. Will trade for good horses. E. L. Long. Phone R 512, Delia, Alta.

WILL TRADE FOR HORSES or colts, one Essex Sedan (1928) in good condition. Write or phone (308) A. Hovde, Rowley, Alberta.

Mr. Thos. Lees who was a recent business visitor in Calgary, returned to Oyen last Sunday, accompanied by his daughter Bella, who is home for the holidays.

Mr. M. G. Whitlock left last Tuesday for Saskatoon where he will spend the holidays with his family. Mr. Hector Morrison is in charge of the depot during Mr. Whitlock's absence.

Andy Lees is home for the holidays from Calgary.

Miss Locke left Saturday morning to spend the holidays at her home in Calgary.

Mr. I. F. Shacker, owner of Oyen Theatre, has announced that temporary repairs will be made to the building so that it may be used during the winter months. In the spring the entire building will be overhauled and all necessary repairing done. It is also proposed to stucco the entire exterior of the building.

A whist drive and dance will be held in the Masonic hall, Oyen, on Bobbie Burns' Night, January 25, under the auspices of Somme Chapter O. E. S. Keep the date in mind.



To our many customers and friends we extend best wishes for a joyous Christmas Season and health, happiness and bountiful harvests in the New Year.

J. J. PURCELL

We extend to you and yours the Compliments of the Season and a wish that the New Year will be filled with happy days, and bring to you prosperity.



Beaver (Alberta) Lumber Ltd.



Best wishes for a Merry Christmas
and a Happy and
Prosperous New Year

Johnson's Garage



Wishing you all a Merry Christmas and expressing the hope that 1934 will bring to all a greater measure of prosperity, with good health to enjoy it.

ELMER CLOUGH